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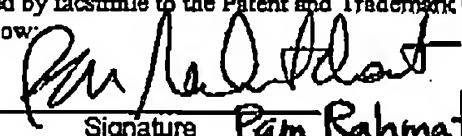
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Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETERMINING DOWNHOLE  
PRESSURES DURING A DRILLING OPERATION

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RCE AMENDMENT SUBMISSION UNDER 37 CFR 1.114

Sir:

In response to the Final Office Action dated March 2, 2004, this paper is submitted under 37 CFR 1.114 as part of the Request for Continued Examination (RCE). This paper is submitted prior to payment of the issue fee. Continued examination of the application is respectfully requested in light of the following amendment and remarks. Please amend the application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 12 of this paper.